
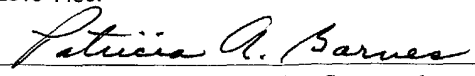


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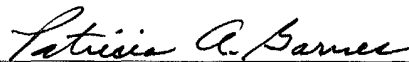
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2003, Applicants request consideration of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 141, 154, 176, 177, and 201 as follows:

141. (Amended) An oligomer comprising at least one LNA nucleoside of the general formula I

